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THE HON. SRI N. SANKARA REDDI :—" It depends upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and also the financial postition."

Appointment in the English department of the Presidency College, Madras.

* 302 *Q.*—SRI K. P. GOPALAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether there was any new appointment in the English department of the Presidency College, Madras, recently; and

(*b*) is so, whether this post was advertised?

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" (*a*) Yes. An appointment to a Lecturer's place in English under General Rule 9 A (1) was made.

" (*b*) No."

SRI K. VINAYAKAM :—" It is not the practice to recruit Lecturers to the Education Department through the Madras Public Service Commission and, if so, why was this practice not followed in this case? "

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" Advertisement for such stray vacancies lasting for a short time is not made as and when the vacancies arise. The vacancy in the post of Lecturer in the Presidency College was a short one and was filled under Rule 9 A (1) and usually for such short vacancies, advertisements are not made for direct recruitment."

SRI K. P. GOPALAN :—" Is the person appointed a relative of a Minister at the Centre? Does the Hon. the Education Minister know about that? "

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" I am not aware of any such thing and I am not concerned with any such thing."

SRI T. NAGI REDDI :—" మంత్రిగారు appointment temporary అంటున్నారు, అంటే ఆ temporary appointment ఎన్ని సంవత్సరాలు, లేక ఎన్ని నెలలు? "

THE HON. DR. M. V. KRISHNA RAO :—" When the Professor of English in the Presidency College was appointed as Principal, a temporary post of Lecturer in English was created to relieve the Principal of his professorial duties to a certain extent. The post was expected to last only for a short period as the principal was expected to be reverted as Professor sometime in the middle of the year, on the return of the permanent principal of the College to his post."

*** 303 *Q*.—SRI D. SEETHARAMIAH** :—" ఆర్యా, ఈ నా ప్రశ్నను రేపటికి వాయిదా వేయండి "

MR. SPEAKER :—" This question will be taken up tomorrow."